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- ☒ A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.63; and
- ☒ Notice of Acceptance of Application dated September 30, 2005.

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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The applicant is hereby advised that the United States Patent and Trademark Office in its capacity as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495), has determined that the above identified international application has met the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371, and is ACCEPTED for national patentability examination in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/02/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 05/02/2005

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